

## In Social Circles

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## Woman's Club Opens. Presidents Day.

The members of the Woman's club have every occasion to remember the delightful afternoon spent on Wednesday with their president, Mrs. J. Webb Howell, who assumed the role of hostess. The initial meeting of the club term is known as "President's Day," and it was in keeping with this pleasant custom that Mrs. Howell called the club ladies together. As was to be expected in this home and with its gracious mistress, the affair was replete with charm and graceful hospitality. Friendly greetings after the long vacation months were made the more delightful by the charming hospitality and the cordial welcome bestowed upon the guests.

The entire lower floor of this elegant home was thrown into one large room by means of sliding doors, and the home was a bower of beauty for the occasion with its magnificent blossoms and graceful palms and ferns. The splendid reception hall was attractive in green and placed on the five newel posts of the pretty stairway were handsome palms which produced quite an effective decoration. It was here the guests were received by Mrs. Howell and standing with her were the officers of the club: Mesdames Glenn Flinn, Seth Mooring, J. A. Myers, E. J. Fountain, W. S. Wilson, W. G. Tallaferra and W. P. Bryan. White and green, the club colors, were developed throughout the rooms with strikingly pretty effect. Quantities of tube roses with sprays of ferns, a gift from the officers showing their loving friendship for the hostess, were utilized on mantels, tables and cabinets.

Mrs. Howell is very enthusiastic over the year's work, and a wiser selection for president could scarcely have been made. The mantle of honor has fallen on capable shoulders. Mrs. Howell is a young woman of more than ordinary intelligence and literary ability, being an accomplished musician as well. She prepared for the pleasure of her guests an enjoyable program, which included the following numbers:

## Program.

1. President's Address—Mrs. J. Webb Howell.
2. Music—Gavotte Gluck, Etude, Chopin—Mrs. Youngblood.
3. Paper: The Advantages of remaining at home during the summer—Mrs. W. G. Tallaferra.
4. Music. Flower Song from Faust—Mrs. W. C. Davis.
5. Paper. The Club Yesterday, Today and Forever—Mrs. A. J. Buchanan.
6. Music. Valse Opus 42 Chopin, Egyptian Love Song, Nevin—Mrs. W. S. Wilson.

Mrs. Howell's address to the club was the feature of the afternoon. She said:

Ladies—On the 20th day of March when the last vote was counted and I declared your president, my eyes reeled, my heart stood still. I wondered, can I the office fill with the grace and dignity of my predecessors?

My love for this work made me respond to your call for service, feeling it the duty of every club woman to contribute as far as lies within her power, towards carrying on this great work of responsibility. Having seen the splendid results from past administrations, the expression of loyalty heard on all sides, a feeling of strength and courage came over my soul and gave me the assurance, that with the hearty co-operation of thirty noble women, such as the Woman's Club of Bryan is composed of, we

would continue to reach forth into those things which are before us, never ceasing until the goal is won.

There are so many vital problems confront us. The educational and social interests of our State, to study conditions that may tend to the highest development of the child, our most valuable asset, the Rural school, to assist in improving health conditions, the Civic movement, to better industrial conditions of women in Texas, and to do all in our power toward securing just legislation for women and children.

Let the Woman's Club of Bryan be heralded throughout the length and breadth of the Lone Star state as a great club—great in its true sense. Pope says: "Greatness is measured by the magnanimity of the soul, by the power of influence for good, by the service rendered mankind, by the use of the gifts Heaven has bestowed upon us, whether it be wealth, whether it be knowledge, or whatever blessing it may be, by using it to bless the world." And lastly I would say, that not only as your president, but all through the coming years:

"I would be true, for there are those who trust me.  
I would be pure, for there are those who care.  
I would be strong, for there is much to suffer.  
I would be brave, for there is much to dare.  
I would be a friend to all, the foe, the friendless.  
I would be giving and forget the gift.  
I would be humble, for I know my weakness.  
I would look up and laugh and love and lift."

The year books are done in the club colors, green and white. Mrs. R. O. Allen, who was chairman of the committee, distributed the books to the members.

A pleasant finale to the afternoon was the serving of brick cream and angel cake.

U. D. C. Anniversary Program Oct. 8.  
Subject, John H. Reagan, His Life, Character and Personal Sacrifice for the — of Texas and the Confederacy.

1. Music—Our Southland..... Miss Mary McInnis
2. Reading—Song of the Chattahoochee.....Mrs. P. M. Raynor
3. Address—John H. Reagan, the Grand Old Roman, Pathfinder, and Patriot, Citizen, Soldier of Texas.....Prof. A. W. Kinnard
4. Music—My Old Kentucky Home.....Mr. D. O. Reese
5. Reading—Selection from McEnery Stuart.....Miss Sara Allen
6. Music—Piano Solo.....Miss Geraldine Kelly
7. Music—Rest, Soldier Rest.....Mrs. W. C. Davis

Everyone is cordially invited to attend and all members are especially urged to be present as there will be an election of officers.

## Social Courtesies for Miss Smith.

Miss Hettie Smith, a bride elect, of the early fall whose engagement to Mr. Paul Swancoat was announced several weeks ago, is one of Bryan's most popular girls and quite a number of pretty social courtesies have been planned for her pleasure prior to her marriage.

On Tuesday at four p. m. the Bachelor Girls club will meet with Misses Allie and Ray Conway at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Astin and will tender her a miscellaneous shower.

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Mrs. George Washington Smith has issued engraved invitations to the reception to be given at her home in compliment to Miss Smith on Wednesday afternoon the ninth of October half after four until half after six. Beautiful engraved invitations have also been received by friends from Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Parker to attend a dance in Miss Smith's honor on Thursday evening, October 10th, at the Elk's Hall at nine o'clock.

These social functions promise to be elegant affairs and are looked forward to with great pleasure by the social element of Bryan.

## Notes and Personals—

Miss Alma Cole entertained the Bachelor Girls club on Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of reorganizing and laying plans for the coming year. Miss Alma served as president the past year, filling the office with great efficiency. Miss Allie Conway was unanimously elected president and Misses Corine James, Tabitha Miller and Anita Park were elected to membership. Delicious refreshments of cream whip and angel cake was served.

A district lodge meeting of the Ladies of the Macabees of the World was held in Ennis this past week. Misses Fannie Mae Miller and Bertha Stuart and Mrs. Spreckelmyer were delegates from this lodge. The Ennis people treated the visiting ladies royally and they were shown many courtesies. Misses Miller and Stuart have returned home. Mrs. Spreckelmyer went over to Ft. Worth to visit friends before returning.

Miss Marcia Ford of Calvert is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bateman.

Mrs. J. M. Dunn has been elected a delegate to attend the Grand Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star to be held in Waco next week. She will leave Monday for the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coulter left last Wednesday for Hillsboro to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Heppess.

Mrs. I. J. Derden and Mrs. Fannie Boyd of McGregor are guests of Mrs. G. S. Parker.

A business meeting of the Embroidery Club will be held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of the president Mrs. George Adams at four thirty and all members are requested to be present.

Mrs. Mary Ross Parker, who has been touring Europe all summer with a party of friends will arrive home tomorrow. After landing in New York they visited in the city for several days before going to Washington, where Misses Parker and Miss Giddings visited Gunston Hall. Both young ladies attended this school year before last.

## ORDER OF ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Brazos.

On this the 14th day of September, 1912, came on to be considered by me as mayor of the city of Bryan application and petition of L. M. Hewitt and fifty-nine other persons filed herein on the 14th day of September, 1912, requesting an election be ordered to determine whether said city of Bryan shall adopt the commission form of government.

The boundary of said city to be as the same now exists, to wit: Commencing at a point 1700 yards due south from the center of the courthouse square; thence due east 1700 yards; thence due north 3400 yards; thence due west 3400 yards; thence due south 3400 yards; thence due east 1700 yards to the place of beginning.

And it appearing to me that said city contains population of less than ten thousand inhabitants, to wit: 4132 according to the Federal census of 1910; that said petition is signed by more than ten percent of the qualified voters of said city according to said census.

I therefore in my capacity as mayor of the city of Bryan order an election to be held in said city on the 21st day of October, 1912, to determine if said city of Bryan shall adopt the commission form of government.

Notice shall be given of the date and place of holding said election by posting a true copy of this order in three public places in said city and publishing the same in The Bryan Eagle, a newspaper published in the city of Bryan, for at least thirty days prior to the date of said election.

All voters who are qualified to vote in the general election shall be entitled to vote in said election. Each voter desiring to vote for the commission form of government shall have written or printed on his ballot "For Commission," and each voter desiring to vote against the commission form of government shall have written or printed on his ballot "Against Commission."

L. M. Hewitt and E. B. Lomax are hereby appointed judges of said election, and L. M. Hewitt to be presiding judge thereof, and J. H. Mawhinney and E. M. Dodson are hereby appointed clerks of said election. Said election shall be held under the general laws of this state and the returns thereof made to me, as mayor of said city, within two days after said election.

Given under my hand and seal of the city of Bryan this 21st day of September, 1912.

(Seal) J. T. MALONEY,  
Mayor of the City of Bryan.

Attest with the seal of the city of Bryan.  
W. W. GAINER,  
Secretary of the City of Bryan.

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A copy of this notice shall be posted at three public places within the said city of Bryan, and shall also be published in The Bryan Eagle, a newspaper published in said city of Bryan, for at least thirty days next preceding the date of said election.

Notice is hereby given that said election shall be held at the city hall in the city of Bryan.

Notice is also hereby given that at the same time and place designated for holding the above election, and by the same election officers, an election of the mayor and two commissioners, who must be qualified voters of the said city of Bryan, and who will serve until the first Tuesday in April, 1913.

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## Schedule Effective October 6, 1912.

Lv. Bryan	Lv. College
6:15 A. M.	6:40 A. M.
7:15 A. M.	8:00 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	9:00 A. M.
9:30 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
11:00 A. M.	11:30 A. M.
12:30 P. M.	1:00 P. M.
1:30 P. M.	2:00 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	3:00 P. M.
4:05 P. M.	4:30 P. M.
5:00 P. M.	5:30 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	7:00 P. M.
7:30 P. M.	8:00 P. M.
10:00 P. M.	10:30 P. M.
11:30 P. M.	11:50 P. M.

## Sunday

7:00 A. M.	7:30 A. M.
9:00 A. M.	9:30 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:30 A. M.
12:30 P. M.	1:00 P. M.

Balance same as during the week.



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